# VACCINE PRIORITIZATION

Established by the Idaho COVID-19 Vaccine Advisory Committee (CVAC)

### PHASE 1, GROUP 1: HEALTHCARE PERSONNEL & LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS

**STARTED** 

Hospital staff essential for care of COVID-19 patients and maintaining hospital capacity (includes support staff as well as clinical staff)

**STARTED** 

Outpatient clinic staff essential for care of COVID-19 patients and maintaining hospital capacity

**STARTED** 

1.2 Long-term care facility staff

**STARTED** 

Home care providers for adults 65 years of age and older or for other adults or children with high-risk medical conditions.

**STARTED** 

1.3 Emergency Medical Services (EMS)

**STARTED** 

Outpatient and inpatient medical staff not already included above who are unable to telework

**ON DECK** 

Dentists, dental hygienists and dental assistants

**ON DECK** 

Pharmacists, pharmacy technicians and pharmacy aides

NOT STARTED Public health and emergency management response workers who are unable to telework

**STARTED** 

Long-term care facility residents

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#### **PHASE 1, GROUP 2: ESSENTIAL WORKERS**

NOT STARTED 2.1

First responders (other than EMS) and safety (fire/police/protective services/community support)

NOT STARTED 2.2

Pre-K-12 school staff and teachers and daycare [childcare] workers

NOT STARTED



Correctional and detention facility staff (other than medical)

NOT STARTED



Food processing workers

NOT STARTED



Grocery and convenience store workers

NOT STARTED



Idaho National Guard (other than medical)

NOT STARTED



Other essential workers not already included and unable to telework or to distance from others at work

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If you have any questions about the CVAC please visit their website at: <a href="https://coronavirus.idaho.gov/idaho-covid-19-vaccine-advisory-committee/">https://coronavirus.idaho.gov/idaho-covid-19-vaccine-advisory-committee/</a>
Or leave them a message at: <a href="mailto:covid19vaccinepubliccomment@dhw.idaho.gov">covid19vaccinepubliccomment@dhw.idaho.gov</a>